## THE ATHLETIC MAID.

She Invades the Gymnasium and Performs on the Trapezs-Exercise for the Complexion. Special Correspondence Sunday Journal.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28. -Swish, swo-op! Is there any word to describe the sure, swift grace of a bird's dive through the air? What a slender, powerful figure it is; supple,

vigorous, alive; Greek in development, with the entlines of Diana, instead of Holen. Both arms are lifted, full, round, white columns. The head is thrown back on the shoulders with the abandon of a wood nymph. The body is poised for a second spring, firm, straight, elastic, without an outce of superfluous flosts or the visible outline of a bone. Swo-op.

Again she goes sailing through space, leaving e trail of laughter and floating hair.

She is a perfectly developed specimen of young womanhood according to the present ideal. Every rounded curve covers a cushion of obetient muscles, and she is utterly fearless on the

Now she is running up the climbing ropes like a chipmunk. There is a slight, black-haired wirl after her, and somewhere down on the gymeasium floor is a pair of light, polished Indian clubs which will change hands on the result of the novel race. The black-hair ed girl is left behind: but look at the long, easy sweep of the two of them as they swing from one end of the hall to the other, passing from one traveling ring to the next with a freedom of movement that is the perfection of mid-air grace.

Did you ever see a girl practice vaulting?
There is a graceful figure going; over the bar
not many feet away. To look at that gentle sea-shell-tinted face, and listen to the low tones of that pathetic voice, you would think a youthful Niobe had strayed among the athletes. But what is the quiet, drooping, little maiden say-

I think I will have it three in ches higher, if you please. There! Over she goes. Would you imagine

that human bodies didn't float or that specific gravity claimed any dominion over girls? It is the airy, fairy costume which adds to the ment among the people here to-day. There is a brown-eyed midget of a girl poised on a trapeze. Look at her before she moves. There are little black and scarlet slippers on her feet, slippers with rubber soles. There are long black stockings drawn smoothly over the rounded limbs. They lose themselves just at the bend of the knees in a butterfly skirt of blue -a bouffant little skirt that seems made to dance or to fly in. It stands out about her and seems almost to support her in the air. Above the skirt comes a loose blouse of blue, open at the throat, with its rolling collar brightened by a touch of searlet. She looks like a bluebird ready to take wing. She has flown, she is going through a hundred bird evolutions in the eir. That is, she has begun her jexercises on the trapez. And the fluffy little, skirt. It has turned out to be no skirt at all. It is two skirts, a divided skirt, it clothes each leg separately. It made a pretty drapery while the gymnast was motionless, but it does not interfere with the perfect freedom of the limb . She is wearing Turkish trousers after a mod il of the gymnasts'

There are three score or more of these athletic maidens. They go tip-toeing about as if they trod on air. They are swinging Indian clubs. they are pulling rowing weigitts, and would you believe it, they are running. Atalanta did live. She is living now. There are women who can run. It is a wonderfully graceful motion, with the light, supple swaying of the limbs alert for the start, the bound forward, the springy. swinging step growing swifter and swifter, the quick, powerful leap of a half dozen maidens ahead of the others, their dash forward and laughing turn upon the lag rards, flushed, victorious, with flying hair and panting breath, the blood coursing in riotous exhibaration through

There is a deal of nonsense talked about the athletic girl. In point of fact, the modern woman has not taken to ea ting raw beefsteak for breakfast, nor to walking eight miles before breakfast for a matutical constitutional. Not many specimons of young fe mininity are athletic or care to be athletic at: all. They only laugh if you repeat the eraggerated stories about their going into training. Much, indeed, of the appearance of physical culture should be credited to the t silor. The tailormade gown was English. Its strong points were chest and shoulders. But the tailor-made gown is going. Womankind is French these days. Look at the Directoir s maiden in her elinging robe that does not ridinit of padding, and the shoulders have changed their outline. Much of the athletic look of things will disappear from the streets before spring. And yet a growing and wholesome in terest in sensible bodily development is amply testified to by the rapid success af the Ladies' Athle tic Association. It has 100 members now. It expects to have 500

ished in the spring. This new gymnasium is to be the largest in the country built exclusively for women, and as well equipped as any in the world. It is to be four stories high, and a handsome building architecturally. In the basement there are to be three bowling alleys. The entire rear of the basement will be floored and wainscoted with marble, and devoted to a buge swimming bath. Rooms for games, for chess-playing, readingrooms, a reception-room and a library take up the first floor. More baths, including a great plunge, occupy, with the necessary dressingrooms, the second floor. The entire upper half of the building is given over to a splendid gympasium hall, 101 feat by 25. This room will be fitted with chest weights, rowing weights, Indian clubs, dumb bells, traveling rings, trapezes, etc., all so arranged as to be drawn aside, easily making room for Badminton or tennis courts, and

by the time its new gymnasium, now in process

of erection next the Berkeley Lyceum, is fin-

for bouts at boxing or fencing. It sounds as if women were making some actount of physical strength and grace, doesn't it And they go about it scientifically, too. The Athletic Association practices this winter in the Berkeley gymnasium, and the physical exam ination and series of measurements adopted are with some trifling modifications, the same as those in use at the Harvard gymnasium. They begin as follows:

Place of birth! His mother ..... Her mother. Father died of?

Mother died of! Most resembles? General health? Hereditary diseases?

This preliminary catechism is followed by as elaborate table, in which are set down th weight, the height standing and sitting, and the length of the different parts of the body; the girth of head, neck, chest normal and ful waist, hips, thigh, knee, calf, ankle, instep, up per and fore-arm, elbow and wrist; the depth of thest and abdomen, the breadth of the different members, the stretch of the arms, the capacity and strength of the lungs, the strength of back legs, chest, upper and fore-arm, the develop ment, the general condition, the sight, hearing color of hair and eyes, and the temperament.

Some of the best known women of the city are ronnected with this attempt to secure the bene its of physical culture for woman, Mrs. Joseph H. Choate, Mrs. Frederick Billings, Mrs. Anson Phelps Stokes, Mrs. Robert Hoe, jr., Mis Camilla Moss, Mrs. Alexander Mitchell, Mrs Samuel Thomas, Mrs. John P. Townsend and Mrs. John S. White being the founders and in orporators. The directors and governors o the gymnasium are all women, the only repre sentative of the other sex on the board bein Dr. Watson L. Savage, who shares with Dr. Mary T. Bissell, the sister of the president of Vassar, the position of consulting physician Miss M. Augusta Requa, the directress of the symnasium, is the prettiest of the athle tes in the livided-skirt costume.

Dr. Bissell, who has a gymnasium of her own n which women practice, was talking of physica gaining some few days ago.

"What do they all come for?" I asked her. "For fun and for athletic development," was the reply. "Of course, too, some have special leficiencies or defects which they want to emedy. Women are just finding out that some of the worst cases of lack of proportion and lymmetry can be improved by systematic physcal culture. Women are turning to the gymcasium instead of the powder-box for their longlexions. They are trying dumb-bells, Indian clubs, the trapeze and the bath to round their contours and give grace and freedom of rement. One woman may come because she has a bent back and winged shoulderblades, the result of the too early use of cortets, stooping over a school-desk. Another woman may come to fill out a flat chest, and others to round scrawny throats or pipe-stem trms or flat waists. They all work with a will, work, work, work, and the quick, steady pumping of the blood strengthens flaccid tissue, puts life into muscles almost atrophied from disuse, and makes handsome, healthy women instead of pale, languid invalids."

"But are there no accidents in the gynasium; le it safe for girls?" "I never knew of an accident in a women's symnasium. There are accidents in the kitchen and on the sidewalk. I don't know why there should not be in the gymnasium, but I never seard of one. And it would be hard to over-

estimate the benefit. Women are less subject to acute diseases than men. Their disorders are largely functional, and anything which improves the circulation and assists the digestion lays the broadest basis for rich vital bealth and perennial youth." Nearly all the girls who exercise regularly keep their own records of weight and size, and

record a gain of a quarter of an inch in arm girth amid the envious felicitations of their The fat women go through the most comical evolutions. One woman in herefforts to reduce the amount of her round loveliness is trying the climbing cure. She makes the stairways of the elevated road her Alps and goes up and down conscientiously one hundred times each day. She says she is strengthening her heart muscles and subduing her plump and pleasing person. But the gymnasium hour is over and the athletic girls are scurrying to their dressing rooms.

"How I hate to put on long skirts again," says one of them as they scamper by.
"Yes, if one could only be as free as this all "Well, and why can't we, you and I?" They look at each other, the horror of a shortskirted promenade down Broadway making mischief in their eyes. Then they walk demurely away. And still the question is unanswered.

"I hurt my hands on the ropes," says another.
"They will blister, I'm afraid." "You'll get used to it," a habitue assures the novice. "I've got so that I don't mind it at all." And who are these demure damsels in trim little coats, with Parma violets pinned on their muffs and great bags of Hading veils tied over their big ostrich-plumed hats and under their little chine? Truly the gymnasium girls are transformed. You'd never suspect them now of the trapeze. We are going to have a race of women as strong, as beautiful as the goddesses of old, by and by. ELIZA PUTNAM HEATON.

Escape of Condemned Bald Knobbers. OZARK, Mo., Dec. 29. - John and Wiley Matthews, two the four condemned Baid Knabbers, and W. P. Halbenseben, Frank Johnson, William Bedford, Thomas Rooney and William Sassen, five train-robbers, escaped from jail here last night. Some at present unknown person or persons from the outside cut through the brick wall of the prison, unlocked the corridor and cells and released the prisoners. Dave Walker, the leader of the Baid Knobbers; his son William, also under sentence to hang, and a young man named Rucer, refused to leave and were found in their cells when the discovery was made. There is great excite-

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Harry Oakely, of Nebraska City, Neb., a young merchant, committed suicide yesterday by hanging at Palmyra. No cause is known for the act. Mason Garrison and Benjamin Harris were struck by a train on the Delaware & Hudson railroad, at Oliphant. Pa., yesterday. Garrison was instantly killed, while Harris escaped with slight injuries. Joe Jacob Yennie, a wiper in the Missouri Pacific railroad shops at Hiawatha, Kan., who had a bad reputation and has been in the courts frequently, fatally shot Boston Hendricks at 4 o'clock yesterday morn-

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The rumor that Postmaster Pearson, of New York, had tendered his resignation, is denied by that gentlemen. He says that he will fill out his term, and that he has no idea of accepting the presidency of an insurance company, alleged to have been offered him. Word from Greeley, Col., has been received to the effect that a mob, early yesterday morning, overpow-ered the jailer, broke open the jail, and took out W. D. French, who, two weeks ago, murdered Harry Woodbury, and hung him to a tree near the courthouse. None of the mob are known.

An explosion of giant powder at Puyallup, W. T., on Friday, blew a cabin on the outskirts of the town to pieces. James Blagg was killed and Leroy Gow was badly injured. The men were engaged in clearing land, and had the powder stored in the cabin. How it exploded is a mystery, as Gow was too badly

Capt. W. G. Porter, a citizen of Emporia, Kan., was stabbed and killed, Friday, at Hamilton, thirty miles south of his home. He had a quarrel with William Smith, and after some words drew a pistol and fired twice at Smith. One bullet plowed a furrow through Smith's scalp. The latter drew his knife, and, rushing on Porter, stabbed him five times.

At Charley Mule's ranch, thirty miles northwest of Denison, Tex., on the Washita river, in the Chickasaw nation, two cowboys got into a dispute, which ended in both men being shot. One was killed instantly, while the other was mortally wounded. A six-shooter and a Winchester rifle were the weapons used. One of the men was named Parkay and the other's name was unknown.

## DAILY WEATHER BULLETIN.

Indications. WASHINGTON, Dec. 29 .- For Indiana, Michigan and Wisconsin-Fair; warmer weather; southerly winds.

For Illinois-Fair; followed in southern portion by light rain; warmer; southerly winds. For Iowa-Fair; followed on Sunday by light rain; southerly winds. For Minnesota and Dakota-Fair weather; continued low temperature; winds becoming soutwesterly.

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INDIANAPOLIS. Dec. 29-7 P. M.

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New York city	30.54	36	30	42		Clear.
Buffalo, N. Y	30.50	30	26	32		
Philadelphia, Pa.	30.56	38	30			Clear.
Pittsburg, Pa	30.50		28	58		Clear.
Washington, D.C.	30.54		24	48		Clear.
Charleston, S. C.	100 -0			56		Clear.
Atlanta, Ga	30.48	48	34	56		Fair.
Jacksonville, Fla			42			
Pensacola, Fla.	30.32	60				Cloud
Montgomery, Al	30.38		32			Clear.
Vicksburg, Miss.	30.30	48	36			Cloud
New Orleans, La	30.26	54	40			Clear.
Little Rock, Ark	30.36		36			
Galveston, Tex	30.10	56	52		.02	Cloud
San Antonio, Ter	30.14	44	44		.12	Rain.
Memphis, Tenn.	30.42					Cloud
Memphis, Tenn. Nashville, Tenn.	30.46	42	26	46		The second second
Louisville, Ky	30.50	42	21	48		Clear.
Indianapolis, Ind	30.50	36	24	42		Clear.
Cincinnati, O	. 30.50					Clear.
Cleveland, O	. 30.50					Clear.
Toledo. 0	. 30.48					Clear.
Marquette, Mich.	30.24			28		Clear.
S. Ste. Marie, Mich	30.32	22	10			Cloud
Chicago, Ill	30.42	34				
Cairo, Ill	. 30.46					Cloud
Springfield, Ill	30.50					Cloud
Milwaukee, Wis.	. 30.38					Clear.
Doluth, Minn	. 30.22	22	2	26		Clear.
St. Paul, Minn	. 30.28		10			Clear.
Morehead, Minn.	. 30.22	12	0			Clear.
St. Vincent, Mint	30.12	12	-8	22		Clear.
Davenport, Ia	. 30.40	34				Clear.
Dubuque, Ia	. 30.38					Clear.
Des Moines, Is	30.40	32	12			Clear.
St. Louis, Mo	30.46	40	28			Cloud
Kansas City, Mo.	30.44	36			1	Cloud
Fort Sill. Ind. T.	. 30.32	32				Rain.
Dodge City, Kan.	30.36					Cloud
Qmaha, Neb	30.38	34				Clear.
North Platte, Nel	30.38	20				Clear
Valentine, Neb	30.34		4	6 mm m		
Yankton, D. T	30.32		14		****	Clear
Ft. Sully, D. T	30.28				1	Clear
Bismarck, D. T	30.24					Clear
Ft. Buford, D. T.		12	-10			Hazy.
P. Arthur's L'd'g	30.16				10111	Clear.
Qu'Appelle, N. W	30.14	14				Clear
Ft.As'nah'ne, M.'I	30.04	14				Clear.
Helena, M. T.	30.60		-10 14			Clear
						Clear.
Chvenne, W. T.	30.32	28	20			Clear
Ft.M'Kn'ny, W.T	30.18					Clear
Ft. Wahaskie, Wy	90.40	30	14	40		Clear.
Denver, Col	30.30		14	42		Clear.
Pueblo, Col Santa Fe, N. M	30.22					Snow.

Salt Lake City ... 30.44 24 20 ..... Fair. T-Trace of precipitation. Note-One inch of melted snow equals ten inches of snow.

Time-Keeper Steals \$10,000.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.--Thomas Vines, assistant time-keeper of the Adams & Westlake Manufacturing Company, disappeared suddenly this evening, taking with him the week's salary of 700 men and boys. The amount of money carried off is about \$10,000. It was done up in 700 packages ready for delivery to the employes. Vines does not unusually handle the money, but apparently foresaw that he would on this occasion, and had an express wagon in waiting. An unusually large number of police and and detectives were set to work almost immediately after his departure, but up to midnight there was no clew to the whereabouts of man or money.

Forfeited Their Charters.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 29.—Attorney-general Kirkpatrick, this afternoon, filed an application before Judge Simonton, asking for a writ of quo warranto, citing the Western Union Telegraph Company, the B. & O. Telegraph Company and the B. & O. Telegraph Company of Pennsylvania into court to show cause why the y should not forfeit their stock, lines and franchises for violating the Constitution of the

State by consolidating. The Attorney-general alleges that the Western Union, on Oct. 5, 1887, purchasel the whole of the capital stock of the Baltimore & Ohis for \$5,000,000, directly in violation of the Constitu tion, which forbids the purchase of competing lines and for this he asks that the three companies be cited to appear in court and show cause why their stocks lines and franchises should not be decreed forfeited. The court granted the writ, making it returnable or

Insanity of a Distinguished Physician. NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—An evening paper says: Not withstanding the carefully studied efforts to keep the fact from public knowledge, it has leaked out that Dr. Alexander E. McDonald, general superintendent of the insane asylum on Ward's island, has become insane. It is hoped that the affliction is only temporary, and that the once brilliant mind of the great specialist will be restored to its normal condition, but the prospect at the present time and the present at the present at the present time and the present at the present time and the present at the present time and time an the prospect at the present time is not encouraging. Dr. McDonald has for many years been one of the universally recognized authorities in this country on the subject of insanity and its treatment. It seems like a true exposition of the irony of fate that he nimself should have been visited with an affliction that no one was supposed to know better than he how to cure. Dr. McDonald was one of the experts whose testimony convicted Guiteau, the assassin of President Garfield, and it is noteworthy that he is another of those who participated in that trial, and who have apparently fallen under the ban of the assassin's

How the Iowa Liquor Law Is Evaded. SIOUX CITY, Ia., Dec. 29 .- The Sioux City Law and Order League has attacked the numerous so-called transportation companies which have been nullifying the prohibitory liquor law. The league has succeeded in closing all the saloons by injunction and criminal prosecution, but later the decision of the United States Supreme Court gave the liquor men some ground for evasion. They organized transportation companies. The liquor is kept at Covington, a town on the opposite side of the Missouri river. The transportation company opens an office in Sioux City and portation company opens an office in Sioux City and pretends to take and carry liquor in fulfilling orders on Covington. The claim is that this transaction is interstate commerce, which is protected by the Su-preme Court decision. The Law and Order League has been quietly collecting evidence and will prosecute some of the proprietors, who are ex-saloon-keepers.
The proceedings will be by injunction for maintaining a nuisance. There is a penalty of imprisonment and a heavy fine.

Why a Whole Town Was Arrested. GREELY CENTER, Neb. 29.—Deputy Sheriff: Paxton yesterday returned from Walbach, having in custody the entire male population of the town, except one. The arrest grew out of a sort of White Cap affair, of which the victim was F. M. Cutler, a resident of the place. Shortly after the death of his first wife, the servant girl at the house was found to have been unduly intimate with Cutler. He was forced to marry her, but immediately afterward begirl. For his combined offenses his fellow-effizers surrounded his house that night with the intention of punishing him. He got away on horseback, but was pursued, captured with a lasso, tied to a post and whipped. He was then arrested for beating his wife. and in return swore out warrants for all the male in-habitants of Walbach.

Completion of the Poughkeepsie Bridge. POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Dec. 29.—The first engine and car passed over the Poughkeepsie bridge to-day. The bridge was completed several days ago, connection with the New York and Massachusetts railroad was made this morning, and at 3 o'clock in the af ernoon the passage was made, the train being in charge of John W. Brock, of Philadeiphia, the president of the Manhattan Bridge Building Com printer of the mainstain bridge building comprise, no previous announce ment having been made or invitations given, but when the train was seen slowly passing up the east approach it was greeted by a salute from every part of the city and along the river front on both shores, and multitudes of people gathered to see it cross. It made the passage safely, running at about fifteen miles an hour, and soon after returned. The bridge will probably be delivered to the company on Monday, and a formal opening for business will take place later, when the railroad connections are completed.

Cutting Rates with a Vengeance. PUEBLO, Col. Dec 29 .- A rate war was begun resterday between the Denver & Rio Grande, the Santa Fe and the Denver, Texas & Fort Worth roads. It was brought about by an excursion that was advertised in Denver to this place. Two thousand people, yesterday morning, crowded the Union Depot at Denver, and a war was at once inaugurated by the passen-ger agents of the three roads, who were on hand at the depot. The Rio Grande cut the rate to \$1, the Santa Fe put it to 50 cents and the Denver & Fort Worth put it to 25 cents. Last night this city was crowded with people, and 1,000 more are expected here. The hotels are all full and private houses are throwing open their doors.

Illegal Dredgers Captured.

CAMBRIDGE, Md., Dec. 29 .- The State steamer Governor McLane this morning captured five vessels engaged in illegal dredging in the Little Choptanki They are the sloop J. S. Bennett, the bugeyes Mary J. Bond, Lottie L. Thomas, James H. O'Neill, and J. Bond, Lottie L. Thomas, James H. O'Neill, and James A. Garfield. The captains of the craft were not taken, they having escaped to Deal's island. On Thursday a battle of two hours' duration occurred on Fishing bay, between Clay island light-house and Haines's point, with the police sloop Julia Hamilton, on the one side, and several dredging ships, five of which are those mentioned above, on the other of Several of the dredgers were slightly wounded.

Dinner to Henry George. NEW YORK, Dec. 29 .- A number of friends and NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—A number of friends and advocates of the single-tax doctrine gave a dinner to Henry George at the Hotel Hungaria, on Union square to-night, in honor of the great land-tax reformer's return from his trip to England. About 100 guests were present. Mr. W. T. Croasdale presided, and in a brief address formally welcomed Mr. George, who responded in a few appropriate remarks. Speeches were made by Major Alfred Calhoun, Louis F. Post, Thomas Sherman and John Dewitt Warner. Among those present were: Col. Donn Piatt, W. J. Atkinson, M. R. Lewison, Dr. E. Collins and Henry

Unable to Agree on Terms. CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 28 .- On Dec. 15 Rolls Heikes, of Dayton, and Albert Bandle, of this city, agreed in writing to a shooting match, here, at 100 live birds, using Hurlingham rules, except in respect to the weight and bore of their guns, for 500 a side. Yesterday the money should have been put up, Heikes, however, wanted to change the amount of the stakes to \$250 instead of \$500. Bandle telegraphed that he would shoot for \$500 or not at all, to which Heikes replied that he would not put up more than \$250, so that the match, which was expected on New Year, will very likely be declared off.

Anthracite Miners May Strike.

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 29.—The miners of the anthra-cite region are stirred up considerably over the powder question, and it is the one topic of discussion among them to-day, owing to the refusal of Super-intendent Storrs, of the Delaware, Lackawanna Western Company, to reduce the price from \$3 to \$2"

a keg. as demanded by a committee representing all
the company's mines that waited on him on Thursday.

The superintendent declined to entertain the idea of
a reduction of price, and it is not unlikely that a strike may result early in the new year. The number of men involved is about 23,000.

Steamship News.

NEW YORK. Dec. 29 .- Arrived: Germanic, from PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 29 .- Arrived: Lord Clive, LONDON, Dec. 29 .- Sighted: La Bourgogne, from New York for Havre.

Failure in the Jewelry Trade. DENVER, Col., Dec. 29 .- H. S. Porteous, a jeweler failed this afternoon, and made an assignment to J. E. Drake. Assets, about \$100,000; liabilities estimated at \$125,000.

THE CLEOPATRA COSTUMES.

Dresses Made by Worth in Which Mrs, Potter Will Appear.

New York Times. The costumes which Mrs. Potter will wear in the elaborate production of "Antony and Cleopatra," to be made at Palmer's Theater, are said to be the finest ever exhibited on the stage of New York. Lady readers will be able to judge of the correctness of this estimate by the

No. 1. White Costume and Yellow Cloth-A

white crepe de chine skirt, almost covered with

following description:

a long frock of white-striped silk, Turkish style, embroidered on the bottom with a small silver design. The drapery begins from the breast and goes around the body to fall in long, graceful folds behind. This drapery is in plain white soft Bengaline strings of white brilliant jewels and gray pearls, come close on the hips, and are fastend in front in the middle of the belt. A large cloth buttercup sash embroidered with gold, draped on the bust, ended with a bow, with two long ends embroidered with gold. The arms are covered with a net of white brilliant stones, gray and white pearls. As ornament on the neck, a splendid necktie of white and gray pearls with diamonds. The head-dress (Sphynx) is in yellow cloth, embroidered with gold like the sash, and covers entirely the hair. Over the forehead is placed an Egyptian band of the royal snell, ornamenied with diamonds and pearls falling on the forehead. Large sleeves of white, transparent muslin striped with rows of silver fall from each shoulder to the feet. No. 2. Costume White Skirt and Lilac Sash-

First skirt in white Indian muslin, very finely plaited in the ancient fashion, with a cover of a figured and striped white silk going to the round and slightly raised to the waist on the front skirt. The bust is tight, with a small corselet of reddish old gold and yellowish old gold embroidered with silver. A topaz and dismond belt goes around the waist; the hips are surrounded with another each of lilae Bengaline worked with silver and violet stones, and both ends, which are tied in the middle of the skirt, are finished with a marvelous amethyst and diamond tringe. A cloak of same stuff as the cover, same length embroidered with a beim of orange stones and silver, is caught at the neck with a very large necklace of topsz and diamonds. The two ends of this cloak are fastened in the belt. The royal head-band is in topaz, with a diamond snake rolled on it. The arms are covered with shells of white jet.

No. 3. Cream and Coral Costume—or long and colds.

frock in cream, soft and silky material, ornamented with a large Egyptian embroidery in coral shade. The sleeves are edged with same colors. A long crape coral cloak, embroidered same as skirt, but in silk, is attached to the shoulders with strings of pearls, turquoises and diamonds. The corners of the cloak are twist-ed round the waist and fastened with a pale-blue ribbon, embroidered with pearls and silver. The hair scattered, is trimmed with a crown of red

No. 4. Pink Dress-The skirt in soft and silk y material, embroidered with silver and entirely covered with a frock of white Indian muslin, which is embroidered with silver shells in relief. Two trains, just one over the other, forment the waist. The wings of the bird (ibis) begin at the waist and hang most gracefully behind. The first wing is in pink satin, entirely covered with silver embroidery; the other is also embroidered, but made in soft stuff-the embroidery is made as the feathers of the bird, mingled with chenille. A light armor of yellowish-green cloth, embroidered with silk velvet twists, and blue stones clasps tight over the waist and breast, falling over the front skirt a sash of the same material, entirely covered with shell embroidery like the armor. Over the stuff eash, which falls down to the bottom skirt, comes another sash of rubies and diamond stones, with a broad band, which turns around the waist. A very broad necklace of rubies and diamonds on the neck. From both shoulders hange a small cloak, falling in a Grecian style, the edges fringed with large rnobies and a large silver tassels. On the head a head-dress (Ibis) made all in stone, rubies and diamonds, ornamented with the royal crown made with emerald stones snakes, and on the top of it the Egyptian vulture, enriched with jewels. The bird's wings (Ibis) are an ornament for the hair, and is so becoming to the face, falling over the forehead, and elegant fringe in ruby stones ended with cabochon of the same, reaching the cheeks. A golden sceptre ornamented with a sacred scarabee, wings of rubies and diamonds, round it an emerald snake. No. 5. Black and Gold Costume-Skirt and

waist in fine golden cloth entirely veiled with black tulle spangled with gold and embroidered at the end with a large band of yellow jewels. Golden belt twisted twice around the bust and come falling with a knot below the waist. Black tulle cloth embroidered with a brim of spangle golden shells. Small golden bands on the forehead and over the arms. A royal cloak in uncut purple velvet hanging from the neck and banging over the left arm. This cloak is altogether lined with cherry-color silk and raised gan a studied system of abuse to compel her to get a | over the right arm. The corners of the cloak divorce. Thursday he gave her a terrible beating. are embroidered with splendid jewelry, stones, and silver, and are like two fans of pe cock's feather-all around a handsome edge of lotus and aspic necklace of various stones. A royal diadem of jewelry of many colored stones ornamented with the golden sphynx with diamond wings. A long diamond fringe falls over the back of the head, and on each side of the face long emerald and ruby coins fringed with diamonds trimmed the breast of one. No. 6. Warrior Costume-Skirt! in Indian yellow muslin fringed with gold and silver, over which fall a long skirt of Indian muslin, embroidered with gold and silver lotus. This skirt is slightly draped to the waist in front. An armor covers all the bust, cut out on the hips. The armor is entirely made of blue steel shells, each shell is surrounded with diamonds, with emerald in the middle, which produce the most marvelous look. A trimming around the armor. A very deep fringe of yellow enamel pearls-or necklace of sapphire, diamonds and emeralds in the peacock-feather shape. The arms are surrounded all over with enamel and gold snakes. From the left shoulder hangs a small cloak in soft yellow silk, trimmed on the bottom with enamel and jewelry eyes. This cloak is lined with yellow cloth. The hair is braided in small braids with the ends raised only on the side. The helmet, in blue enamel, entirely enriched with diamonds, set exactly the head. Two emerald snakes, rolled on the helmet, lay their heads on the front, from which springs a long white feather, with a row of diamonds.

Written for the Sunday Journal. The Old Professor. He's out-dated, like his books, And he has old-fashioned hooks To his specs. In the alphabet of years

He knows all the characters Down to X. You can read them in his face, In the wrinkles you can trace And upon his marble brow Age is chiseling, even now,

Y and Z. His long locks are white and thin And his temples sunken in, Like his cheeks; And his once sonorous voice Makes a hesitating noise When he speaks.

Of the village and its chat He was once the autocrat, In his prime; Now the gossips nod and beck At the melancholy wreck Of his time.

Without children, home or wife-For the rose and lilies blow Where his darling lieth low In the ground. And it seems a little queer He should wear a bouttonniere

His has been a lonely life.

When they bloom, Yet he blushes like a girl When the dainty buds unfurl Their perfume. And he looks across the rim Of his spec's into a dim

For the tears in spite of him Overflow the wrinkled brim Of his eyes. For he has an odd conceit

That sometime, somewhere they'll meet Youth and maid; And his dreams are always young, And the hopes he lives among And I've often heard bim say

In his sad, old-fashioned way With a smile. "I shall not have long to wait, God will make the crooked straight-

-E. S. Hopkins. How Gladstone Reads.

Mr. Gladstone usually has three books in reading at the same time time, and changes from one to the other, when his mind has reached the limit of absorption. This is a necessary corrective to the tendency to think only of one thingat one time, which sometimes in politics leadshim to neglect that all-round survey of the situaton, which is indispensable to a prime miniser. During the beginning of the Irish queston, in 1880, he was so absorbed in the question of the coercion of Turkey that he could hardly be induced to spare a thought for Ireland. Now it is just as difficult to get him to think of any pilitical question but that of Ireland.

Mr. Gladstone complains sometimes that his memory is no longer quite as good as it used to be, but, although that may be true, it is still twice as good as anybody else's, for Mr. Gladsione has an extraordinary faculty of not only remembering things he ought to remember, but for forgetting those things it is useless for him to remember. His mind is thus unencumbered with any unnecessary top-hamper, and he can always, so to speak, lay his hand upon anything the moment he wants it. This retentive memory was to doubt born with him, but it has been largely developed by the constant habit of taking patus. When he reads a book he does so pencil in hand, marking off on the margin those passages which he wishes to remember, querying those about which he is in doubt, and putting a cross opposite to those which he disputes. At the end of the volume he constructs a kind of index of hisown, which enables him to refer to those things he wishes to remember in the book.

Religion in the Colleges.

Archdeacon Mackay Smith, in January Harper's The colleges never had so many professing church members in them as at present. A few examples wil show this. Yale College in 1795 had but four or five students who were church members; to-day nearly one-half hold such membership. Princeton in 1813 had but two or three openly professing the Christian faith; to-day about ons-half, and among them the best scholars In Williams College 147 out of 248, and in Amheist 233 out of 352, are members of churches In many other colleges, as proved by Dr. Hodge, from whose carefully prepared tables these frures are taken, the proportions are still morefavorable to the prospects of re-

The Brand He Smoked.

First Bootblick-Bill, I'm in luck. Git outo this snipe. Second Bootlack (contemptuously)-I don't see nothun great about that snipe. Looks jest like any other inipe.
(Impressively)-"Bill, that snipe's worth 25

cents." (Incredulously (-"Ya-a-as, it is!"
"Well, that's what it is. Don't you see it's only about three-quarter's smoked? The man that t'rowed that snipe away, Bill. was the rail-road editor of the Laboringman's Vindicator."

BROWN'S EXECTORANT has been in use in Indianapolis over thirty years. It cures coughs PERSONAL AND SOCIETY.

[Concluded from Third Page.]] on East Second street ... Mrs. Frank Deibert, Miss. Georgia Deibert and Mrs. Morgan Harvey spent Tues!
day and Wednesday with Indianapolis friends...
Miss Lotta Ward is visiting friends in Wabash.... Miss Lotta Ward is visiting friends in Wabash...

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sims are visiting relatives in Chicago...Mrs. H. Carpenter returned, Thursday, from an extended visit with relatives in Moberly, Mo...Miss Alice Dunlap was in Indianapolis the earlier part of the week....Mrs. Julius Falk has returned from her visit in Louisville, Ky...Park Davis, of Jamestown, N. Y., is spending the holidays with his parents...Mrs. B. F. Cavins is visiting relatives in Lafayette...Mrs. B. F. Cavins is visiting relatives in Lafayette...Mrs. McCray, of Indianapolis, is the guest of relatives....Mrs. E. L. Semans is visiting Miss Jones, of Chicago...Mr. Tatham, of Franklin. Ky., returned to his home Wednesday, after a visit with his sister, Mrs. Brenton...Mrs. F. W., Deibert and son George, who have been the guests of relatives the past iew weeks, returned to their home in Marshall, Mich., Saturday...Miss Kittle Edleman, of Greensburg, Ind., is the guest of Miss Pattie Shirk. Miss Pattie Shirk.

Rockville. Mr. Parke and Ed Daniels, of Indianapolis, have een visiting in Rockville . . . The annual New Year's ball will be given at the opera-house on Tuesday even-ing by the young people...Mr. Harry Lee has re-turned to Danville, Ill...Miss Minnie Musser is visiting Miss Laura Brothers in Crawfordsville...Mr.
Abner J. Burford and Miss Cerena F. Strickler were
married Friday evening...Mr. Charles T. Boudinot,
of Omaha, is spending the holidays with his family...
Mrs. Martha A. Howard is enjoying a visit to Bloomington friends...Mrs. Eva Penno was in Terre Haute over Christmas.

Mr. T. W. Beedridge, of Ohio, and Miss Nevada V. Johnson, of this city, were married, Dec. 25, Rev. J. K. Pye, officiating... Dr. G. G. Graessels is vititing his parents at Nashville, Tenn... Herman Lodge, K. of P., of this city, has elected C. C. Frey, C. C.; Will Masters, V. C.; Chas. H. Alwes, P.; DeWitt Hill, M. A.; Tip S. Blish, M. E.; Chas. L. Thomas, M. T.; Dr. Jason Shields, representative to Grand Lodge... Jackson Lodge, F. & A. M., has elected D. W. Johnson, W. M.; J. W. Stratton, S. W.; John A. Ross, J. W.; W. F. Peter, treasurer; S. E. Carter. secretary....C. B. Cole and family have returned from Tacoma, W. T., and moved into their old home. corner of Walnut and Second streets... Mrs. J. H. Blish Mrs. W. C. Humbert, Mrs. W. H. Shields, John B. Blish and Miss Nina Ewing spent Christmas with friends at St. Louis... Prof. John A. Wood, superintendent of schools at Charleston, is visiting his parents here.... Harley Hoskins and Thos. M. Honan are home from Bloomington College, visiting their parents... Mr. A. Bloomington College, visiting their parents...Mr. A. D. Springer, of Sullivan, Ind., and Miss Jennie Durland were married at the residence of the bride's parents, Dec. 23, Rev. J. K. Pye officiating.

Shelbyville. Miss Nellie Wadley, of Indianapolis, is the guest of Miss Lola Parker...Mr. and Mrs. Jim O'Connor attended a reception given by Mr. Samuel Cutsinger, in Edingburg, Wednesday last...Mr. Ed. Swain, of Indianapolis, was here, Christmas, the guest of friends.
...Mrs. Bert Morris, of Winchester, is the guest of relatives here...Miss Susie Louden was in Indianrelatives here....Miss Susie Londen was in Indianapolis last week....Mr. and Mrs. T. B. H. Treadway are visiting friends in Columbus....Mrs. H. H. Daugherty entertained her Sunday-school at her home, Thursday evening....Miss Maggie Kennedy entertained with "progressive angling," at her home, on West Washington street, Wednesday evening....Miss Lue Talbert, who is attending Glendale College, is home on a short vacation...Mr. and Mrs. Alex James, of Connersville, were here last week....Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Maddux, of Chicago, and Mrs. May Thayer, of Indianapolis, are the guests of Mr. Cris Houston and family....Miss Emily Jackson, of Beech Grove, was the guest of son, of Beech Grove, was the guest of Miss Gertie Muchmore the past week.... Mr. Hamilton Goodrich, wife and children, of Detroit, Mich., are the guests of Mr. Ed Goodrich and wife, at the Ray House...Miss Hattie Wingate is the guest of Mrs. Charlie Noble, in Greenfield....Messrs Harry and Tom Beggs are home from Lebanon, Ohio, where they attended school...Mr. and Mrs. John Horst were in Rushville last week...Mrs. Knapp and daughter have arrived from Florida, and are stopping at the Lockwood House...The Misses Clark and Dewitt are visiting in Louisville, Ky.... The R. A. B. Club, met with Miss Caddie Neighbors, Thursday afternoon...Miss Florence Morris entertained her friends at her home Christmas night....
The German Club danced in Sindlinger's Hall Friday evening. Quite a number from abroad were in at-

Terre Haute. Professor and Mrs. Snyder, of Oakland, Ill., are visiting Mrs. Holding, of North Seventh street....
Misses Mamie and Ida Miller, of Indianapolis, are visiting Mrs. John Griffin, of this city....Miss Carrie Frischmeyer, of Lafayette, is visiting Miss Emma Kantman...Mrs. Corinne Weller, nee Cruikshank, will spend the winter with her parents, in Chicago.... Miss Newhouse, of Plymouth, Ind., is visiting Mrs. Sherburne, of North Eighth street....Miss Carrie Sherburne, of North Eighth street....Miss Carrie Hyde is visiting in Chicago....Mrs. Swafford left, on Wednesday, to spend the winter at Huntsville, Ala....Miss Emily Allen, of Peoria, is here for the holidays....Miss Mattie Tuttle, of Indianapolis, is spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Rippetoe....Mr. Alfred Hoberg, of this city, will be married, on Wednesday afternoon, to Miss Rose Stout, at the home of the bride, on North Pennsylvania street, Indianapolis...Miss Belle Closser, of Indianapolis, is visiting Miss Anna Paddock...Miss Rida Walker, of Pekin Miss Grace Foote, of Crawfordsville, and Miss

Pekin. Miss Grace Foote, of Crawfordsville, and Miss Levering, of Lafayette, are the guests of Theo. Hudnut's family.

Tipton. J. W. Swaim and wife have gone to Welaka, Fla.... Mrs. Hattie Forrer. of Winfield, Kan., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Pershing....John H. parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Pershing....John H. Snyder and wife, of Chillicothe, O., are the guests of Marshal Racobs and family....Charles Evans, of Lockport, N. Y., is visiting his mother....Miss Rosa Marquis, of Greencastle, is visiting Miss Pearl Waugh....Joe Jackson and wife have returned to their home, after a short visit to Wm. Barlow.... Mrs. Bettie Thatcher is visiting her parents at Elwood...Mrs. M. W. Huthe, of Noblesville, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Barker...I. M. Dill, of Buffalo, Ind., is visiting Mr. Rouls....Dan Waits, of Peru, spent Christmas with his parents....P. H. Ferguson spent Christmas with his parents....P. H. Ferguson has returned to his home at Hugoton, Kan.... Watson Pitzer and Byron Grashaw, who have been attending school at Ladoga, are spending their vacation at home.

Charles Parker, of Noblesville, is visiting his

Christmas here. Union City. Miss Bessie Law, of Greenville, Pa., is visiting in

Miss Bessie Law, of Greenville, Pa., is visiting in this city...Mrs. Fanny Burroughs, of Michigan, is visiting friends here...Mr. and Mrs. Ben Crabbs, of this city, are visiting at Windsor, Ill...Miss Seeforce, of Polo, Ill., is in the city, the guest of Mrs. Daniel Grimes...Miss Nellie Dum, of Oxford (O.) Female College, is spending her vacation with friends in this city...Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Anderson are spending a holiday vacation at Richmond...Clarence Pierce is at home from De Pauw University for the holiday vacation...Mrs. J. B. Ross is visiting her mother, at Orville, O...Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Johnson, of Dayton. O.. attended the silver wedof Dayton, O., attended the silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hutton, in this city on Saturday evening...Mr. and Mrs. Levi Hill and daughter Genevia, of Irvington, are visiting friends here...Mrs. S. W. Pease, of Bristol, Ind., is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. Will Burt...Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hutton entertained a company of friends on Saturday evening, the occasion of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary....Miss Edith Hottle, of Goshen, Ind., is here, the guest of Mrs. Will Burt... Mr. and Mrs. Geo. N. Edger, of Redkey, Ind., have been among friends here during the holidays....Mr. and Mrs. John Kraft are taking a vacation with friends in Michigan. Mr. and Mrs. tion with friends in Michigan...Mr. and Mrs. Richard Avery, of Covington, O., spent Christmas with friends here...Miss Dora Branham is visiting at Indianapolis....Mr. and Mrs. James Reeves, of Eden Valley, Minn., are visiting relatives in this city.
... Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Davis, of Marysville,
O., are spending the holidays with relatives
in this city... Miss Jennie Hanlon is at home from
Normal School at Terre Haute... Miss Montie Weesner is spending holiday vacation at home in this city.
...Miss Fanny Witham, a student of the Art School at Cincinnati, is visiting friends in this city...Miss Mary Anderson has resigned her situation as teacher in the public school of this city, and will return to her old home at Lima, Ind....Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Warren, of Dayton, O., are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. John Parent, in this city...Miss Lizzie Trine is visiting friends at Dayton. O...Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Williams are visiting friends at Decatur, Ind...Mrs. J. G. Grobs and Mrs. J. Jellison catur, Ind...Mrs. J. G. Grohs and Mrs. J. Jellison are visiting friends at Galion, O...Mrs. Clara Ballinger, of East Liberty, O., is in this city, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Webb Lambert...Mrs. John Butcher is visiting her son Arthur at Frankfort, Ind...Miss Annie Hedrick visited Indianapolis, on Tuesday...Mr. and Mrs. Nick Parker are visiting at Fletcher, Ind...Mrs. Henry Cole, of Topaka, Kan., is in this city the guest of Mrs. S. H. Bailey...Mr. and Mrs. Felix Taylor, of Indianapolis, apent Christmas with Mrs. Lyons in this city...Miss spent Christmas with Mrs. Lyons in this city....Miss Cora Baxter, of Alexandria, Ind., is in the city the guest of Miss Daisy Vinsen...Mrs. Charles Suman, of Indianapolis, and Mrs. Lon Throp, of St. Louis, are visiting friends here...Miss Lizzie Scrip, of Chillicothe, O., is in the city the guest of Miss Gertie Downing...Mrs. P. Howard, of St. Marys, O., is visting her parents in this city. and Miss Annie Fitzgerald are visiting friends at Sidney, O....Mr. and Mrs. Pinder, of Charlottesville, Ind., are in this city, guests of Capt. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks....Miss Lulu White, of Mechanicsburg, O., i in this city the guest of her brother, Mr. C. W. White. .... Misses Ella and Annie McNeff. of Lims, O., who have been visiting here, returned home Thursday.

Wabash. Tom Stitt, cadet at the Annapolis Military Academy, surprised his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Stitt, by ap pearing last Sunday evening. The cadets at the academy had been given a five days' leave of absence during the holidays, something very unusual...Miss Kizzie Henley is in Washington, where she will remain until spring, when she will re-open her kindergarten here...Miss Belle Hibburn, of Rochester, and Miss Annie Oppenheim, of North Manchester, were this week the guests of Miss Clara Rosenthal .... Mrs. A. G. Beauchamp, of Carrollton, Mo., who has been the guest of Hon. and Mrs. Calv Cowgill, returned home this week...Miss Edna Thorndyke, of Richmond, is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Bacon...Open house will be kept here on New Year's day by the following-named ladies: Mrs. Dr. Baker, assisted by the Misses Mand Lenhart of Peru, Debbie Elward, Hazel Smith, Etta Bach, Juvia and May Tinker. Miss Annie Herring, assisted by the Misses Lola Small, Edna Hutton, Etta Herff, Daisy Summerland and Julia Alexander. The ladies of the Semper Idem Club, Mesdames Charles Newhouse, J. E. McHenry, C. I. Bruner, W. R. Yarnelle, Sig. Bach, J. C. Eastman, Frank Blount, H. F. Harris and O. H. Bogue, at the residence of Mrs. Harris, Mrs. A. G. Busick, assisted by Mesdames Alex. Hess, William Hazen, William Caldwell, J. T. Graden, Joe Russell, of Fort Wayne; E. B. Clark, W. P. Jones and Miss S. Bryant, of Logansport. Mrs. J. M. Amoss, inform-Cowgill, returned home this week ... Miss Edna

S. Heerb, the Washington correspond ent of the indianapolis Journal, was the guest of friends here this week...Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bryant, of St. Paul, Minn., are the guests of Mrs. Bryant's sisters, Mrs. O. W. Lamport and Mrs. Gifford...Walter Whiteside and wife, of Cleveland, are passing the holidays with Mr. Whiteside's parents in South Wabash...A. Kauffman, a prominent business man of LaGrange, is the guest of Miss Etta Grover...W. P. McHenry, of Chicago, who is a highly-accomplished musician. Chicago, who is a highly-accomplished musician, is the guest of his parents here...Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stephenson, of Indianapolis, visited their Wabash relatives this week .... The Misses Johnson, Grey and Murdock, of Logansport, were this week the guests of Miss Rosalind Keller... Miss Lulu McHenry, of the Chicago public schools, is passing the holidays at her old home in this city.

Mrs. Charles Duval, of Indianapolis, is visiting her

father, Columbus Coats, of this city ... Miss Fannie

Railsbeck is spending the holidays with relatives at Oxford, O., and elsewhere....Mrs. Gertrude Lichert is with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Hirsch, of Arcanum, O....Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dibbs, of Portland, visited friends here this week . . . Mr. and Mrs. Lew Mann are visiting the sister of the latter at Onargo .... Miss Mattie Harmon, of Antwerp, O., is visiting friends and relatives here...Miss Lottie Martin was at Richmond, Wednesday, in attendance at the marriage of her cousin, Miss Jennie Doyle, and Mr. David Brooks...Miss Sadie Wilmore is visiting with her brother, in Van Wert, O...Dr. J. E. Markle's aged mother, Mrs. Parmelia Anderson, of Markle's aged mother, Mrs. Parmelia Anderson, of Madison county, is the guest of per son...Miss Viola Hodson spent Christmas with her parents at Decatur. ....Misses Rose Frankenstein, of this city, and Hattie Rogers, of Portland, are spending the holidays at Columbus, O...Miss Margaret Monks gave a pleasant little party and social hop, Tuesday evening, in honor of her college friend, Miss Rose Wallace, of Lafayette...Mr. and Mrs. E. McGriff, of Portland, spent Christmas with Dr. Carver, father of Mrs. M. Griff.... Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Ross, of Kendallville, are with relatives and friends here for the holidays....Dr. Pretlow and wife entertained the following persons on Christmas: Mr. and Mrs. John L. Flood, Mrs. J. H. Thornburg and son, Guy, Mrs. Dr. Smith, of Farmland, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cottom, of this city....

Mrs. Erastus Corwin is just home from Chicago, after a pleasant visit with her daughter....Albert Stanley and wife, of Chattanooga, Tenn., are visiting his parents...Minnie Kelley, of New Madison, O.. has been visiting friends here....Miss Viola Connor is with her parents during the holiday vacation of Oxford Seminary...Prof. H. W. Bowars of Postland is visiting his mother Mrs. Bowers, of Portland, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Hull, while Mrs. Bowers is with her parents at Crete. for the holiday vacation....Mrs. M. Simption, of Ridgeville, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Stevenson, Christmas....Mr. and Mrs. Simon Ramsey were at Muncie, last week, visiting their son Charles...Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lewis enter-tained Misses Mamie and Mary Allison on Christmas...Mrs. Kent Brown, of Evans ville public schools, spent the holiday vacation with her husband in this city .... Misses Edith and Clara Bailey had as a holiday guest their cousin, Miss Daisy Bailey, of Fort Wayne ... Miss Looe Armacost, o Connersville, has been the guest of Miss Minnie Turner the past week....Mrs. Mattie Hiatt has been enjoying a pleasant visit from her mother, Mrs. Alvin Owens, during the holidays....Miss Della Bates had Harry Evison, of Cleveland, O, as her guest this week....Mrs. A. L. Nichols is visiting her parents in southern Indiana this week .... Mr. Ed Salter and son, of Oaktown, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Salter....Prof. J. H. Butler and family, of Rushville, are visiting Mrs. Butler's parents here during the holidays....Miss Bessie Woolaston is at home from Dayton, O., for the holidays ... Miss Cort Marlatt, of Richmond, is the guest of friends here. .... Dr. Ballard and wife, of Greenville, O., were the guests of Mr. B.'s parents here Christmas .... Missee Elma and Lida Brooks entertained their father, J. W. Brooks, on Christmas.... Miss Mand Ashville is the guest of her sister in Indianapolis .... Judge Monke and wife visited at Indianapolis the latter part of the week... Miss Edith Larick has returned from Dayton, O .... Miss Olwine, of Dayton, O., is visiting Mrs. William Parker ... Frank Kizer and wife, of Muncie, were the guests of relatives here on Christmas.... Mrs. I. P. Watts and son are visiting in Indianapolis .... Mrs. Reverdy Puckett is visiting in Henry

THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.

Champaign. Frank D. Querean, of Chicago, was a Christmas visitor in Champaign....Mrs. R. S. Burget, of Dan-ville, Ill., is a guest of Mrs. E. P. Reinhard....Frank Maltby, of St. Louis, is visiting his parents in this city....J. E. Hollinsbe, of Adams, Ind., is a guest of his mother in this city....James Blackburn and wife, of Paris, were the guests of J. S. Wright the past week....John A. Shanks, of Kansas City, was mar-

ried on Wednesday evening to Miss Grace G. Han-ford. Charleston. Frank Wright and Miss Nannie Eastman were married Wednesday evening...Miss Nellie Dora is home from Chicago on a holiday visit...Miss Nellie Rus-sell, of Pana, is a guest of Miss Tessa Gray...Mist Nannie Bain is home from St. Mary's.... Miss Clare Graham is home from Chicago....Mrs. Al Hawkins is now a resident of DuQuin, Ia....Miss Anna Monroe is home from St. Charles, Mo., on a holiday visit.... Miss Clara Norfolk, of Centralia, is a guest of Lelis Miss Clara Norfolk, of Centralia, is a guest of Lelis Traver...Miss Clara Miller, of Hoopes ton, is a guest of her uncles in this city...Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hall spent the week is Westfield, Ill...Mrs. William Monfort is at Wenona, Ill...Miss Anna Fuller, of Indiana, is a guest of Misses Belle and Ida Fuller...Miss Ida Mullen is in Denver, Col...Mrs. John Caraway, of Normal, is a guest of Mrs. Eli Wiley...Misses Nannie and Jennie Hill spent the holidays in Chicago...Miss Alica Stark has returned from Kansas...Mr. and Mrs. Shackleford are visiting at Stanford, Ky.

Shackleford are visiting at Stanford, Ky. Marshall. Prof. L. S. Kilborn, of Leroy, spent several day, Prof. L. S. Kilborn, of Leroy, spent several day, last week with Marshall relatives....Mrs. W. A. Duke, of Tilton, has returned home....Mrs. Will Chenoweth and her mother, Mrs. J. S. Lycan, spent last week in Paris with relatives....Mrs. M. J. Brown has returned home from a few weeks' sojourn in Westfield with her daughter, Mrs. George Collins.... Lewis Sherrill and wife, of Kendall county, Illinois, were the guest of their son, Rev. Dana Sherrill, last week....Miss Alta Spielman, of Atchison, Kan., in the guest of Miss Jane Scholfield for a few weeks.... Mrs. J. E. Sandeson, of Danville, spent a few days of last week here with her mother, Mrs. A. E. Lynn.... Mr. M. R. Chenoweth has gone to Longmont, Col-for a few weeks' visit with his daughter, Mrs. A. W. Killgore....Judge Gasaway and wife visited relative in Martinsville last week....Miss Eva Hurst, of Dob mother....Max Rosenthal, of Lafayette, spent on, has been spending a few days with relatives .... Miss Jennie Marvin has returned home from Casey, ...Miss Laura Atlison is visiting relatives in St. Louis...Miss Bird Doherty has been spending a few days in Terre Haute with friends...Mrs. J. T. Warsham. of Mt. Carmel, has returned home, after t few months' sojourn here with her mother, Mrs. E. Talley...Mrs. Kilborn and Mrs. Claude Husted are

in Leroy visiting relatives. Mattoon. Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kimball are visiting in Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kimball are visiting in Chicago,
...Lee Mozier is back in Mattoon, visiting school
mates...Mrs. N. B. Allison and daughter are at
Bethany...F. H. Ross, of Terre Haute, is a visitor
in the city...Miss Florence Scott entertained her
friends Thursday evening...Mrs. Wm. Linder and
Mrs. Hinman are visiting in Brookville, Ind...Miss
Grace Colson is a visitor in Paris...Miss Kate Orr it
home from Bloomington for a visit. Dr Grace Colson is a visitor in Paris...Miss Kate Orr it home from Bloomington for a visit...Dr O. L. Wilson and wife, of Danvilled Ill., visited in the city the past week... Miss Mamie Spruill is visiting near Springfield, Ill. ...Mrs. T. S. Walker is visiting at Greencastle, Ind....Miss Bessie Adamson, of Danville, Ill., is a visitof in Mattoon...Mrs. Clarence Brown, of Terre Haute, is a guest of Mrs. J. M. Kelly...Mrs. L. F. Morse and daughter, of Carbondale, are guests of Mrs. J. C. Dole...Mrs.J. W. Van Sickle and daughter Florence are visiting in Westfield, Ill...Miss Em May Curyes is visiting in Chicago...Mrs. H. M. Dickson and daughter visited in Tuscola the past week....Perry Gordon is visiting in Indianapolis.

Paris, Miss Lillie Harvey, of Chicago, is spending the hol-idays with her parents....Miss Carrie Talburt is spending the holidays at her home in Greencastle.... Mrs. Kate Bowen and daughter, of East St. Louis, visited Mr. James A. Eads and family last week....
Mrs. Ezra Johnson, of Rantoul, Ill., is the guest of
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Atkinson....Mrs. E.
C. Mann has returned from a visit with relatives in
Minneapolis and Chicago....Mrs. Barney and son George are visiting relatives in this city...A. Gus Walker, of Pekin, Ill., was in the city Monday... Mrs. Rachel Stalnaker, of Cincinnati, visited relatives Mrs. Rachel Stalnaker, of Cincinnati, visited relatives here last week... Ed Harding, of Indianapolis, spent Christmas with his mother here... William Schimmel, of St. Louis, visited Miss Georgia Bovel, Tuesday... Mrs. D. B. Elliott and daughter visited relatives in Chicago, last week... Mrs. Allyn Adams, of Terra Haute, visited her parents here this week... Mr. George W. Miller and sister in law, Mrs. John M. Miller, returned from Socorro, N. M., Sunday... Mr. and Mrs. Ed S. Gaylord, went to Peoria, Moncay, to visit Mr. G.'s parents... Mr. William Calvert visited his parents in parents....Mr. William Calvert visited his parents in Danville, Ind., Christmas....Miss Lulu Helton, of

Bloomington, Ind., who has been visiting Miss Alice Throgdon, returned home Monday...Dr. Floyd Davis returned home, Monday, from the medical college at Louisville, Ky...Mr. J. T. Butler and family, who have been visiting his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. McCulloch, returned Monday to their home in LaMoure, Dak ... Mr. George Atkinson, of Minneapolis, spent Christmas with his parents here....Mrs. E. E. St. John is visiting her parents in Carmi, Ill. ... Erastus Keys departed for Havens, Ark., Wednesday, to make a visit.... Mrs. Josephine R. Nichols, of Indianapolis, is the guest of Mr. H. F. Nelson and family... Misses Mattie and Adelia Jones, of Topeka, Kan., are the guests of Mrs. Adelia Harding... J. E. Austiu, of Kansas City, is the guest of relatives in this city....Willare F. Levings, of Chicago, is the guest of his parents... Amos Baber and Miss Lola Ball were married Christ mas evening at the residence of the oride's parents A reception followed the ceremony, about a hundred guests being present....Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Link, of Charleston, Ill., are visiting relatives in this city..... An elegant ball was given Friday evening at th Armory by the young men of the city. A large num ber of guests from abroad were present... Mrs. F. R. Yergin visited relatives in Charleston this week.... Miss Bessie Crose, of Greencastle, Ind., is the gues

of Miss Anna Augustus this week. Urbana.

C. N. Clark and wife are enjoying a holiday visit in Chicago....Mrs. Uber, of Cincinnati, is a guest of F. G. Jaques ... Mrs. Lotta Kiler and son are in Chicago ... Miss Clara Cline is visiting at Leroy, Ill ... Mrs. Charles Somers and daughter Mabel are visiting is Charles Somers and daughter Mabel are visiting in Peoria....Mrs. Fannie Licken, of Ridge Farm, is a holiday visitor in the city....Rev. DuBois and wife are guests of Mrs. N. S. Morris....Mrs. Kate Berney and daughter, of Cheyenna, Wy. T., are guests of Mrs. M. E. Busey....Mrs. J. V. Riggs has returned from a visit of several weeks improved in health....Harry Brown has gone to Reasselact, Ind...Dr. H. White, of Campus, is a visitor in this city.